

House _____ Amendment NO. _____

Offered By

1 AMEND House Committee Substitute for House Bill No. 110, In the Title, Page 1, Line 4, by
2 deleting the phrase "vacancies in certain statewide offices" and inserting in lieu thereof the phrase:
3 "vacancies and time limits for certain offices"; and
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5 "115.123. 1. All public elections shall be held on Tuesday. Except as provided in
6 subsections 2 and 3 of this section, and section 247.180, all public elections shall be held on the
7 general election day, the primary election day, the general municipal election day, the first Tuesday
8 after the first Monday in November, or on another day expressly provided by city or county charter,
9 and in nonprimary years on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in August. Bond elections may
10 be held on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in February but no other issue shall be included on
11 the ballot for such election.

12 2. Notwithstanding the provisions of subsection 1 of this section, an election for a
13 presidential primary held pursuant to sections [115.755] 115.758 to 115.785 shall be held on the first
14 Tuesday after the first Monday in [February] March of each presidential election year.

15 3. The following elections shall be exempt from the provisions of subsection 1 of this
16 section:

- 17 (1) Bond elections necessitated by fire, vandalism or natural disaster;
18 (2) Elections for which ownership of real property is required by law for voting;
19 (3) Special elections to fill vacancies and to decide tie votes or election contests; and
20 (4) Tax elections necessitated by a financial hardship due to a five percent or greater decline
21 in per-pupil state revenue to a school district from the previous year.

22 4. Nothing in this section prohibits a charter city or county from having its primary election
23 in March if the charter provided for a March primary before August 28, 1999.

24 5. Nothing in this section shall prohibit elections held pursuant to section 65.600, but no
25 other issues shall be on the March ballot except pursuant to this chapter."; and
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27 Further amend said bill, Page 5, Section 30.070, Line 5 by inserting after all of said Section and Line
28 the following:

29 "[115.755. A statewide presidential preference primary shall be held on the first Tuesday
30 after the first Monday in February of each presidential election year.]" and
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32 Further amend said bill by amending the title, enacting clause, and intersectional references
33 accordingly.

Action Taken _____ Date _____